HOUSE BILL 3056

By Maggart

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55, Chapter 9, Part 4, relative to emergency lights on motor vehicles.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-9-414, is amended by adding a new subsection thereto, as follows:

(f) Subsection (a) does not apply to official motor vehicles of the police department being operated by well-trained, certified reserve officers duly authorized by the police chief. Such reserve officers operating official vehicles shall be in uniform and carry appropriate identification issued by the police chief. This subsection (f) shall only apply in counties having a population of not less than one hundred thirty thousand four hundred (130,400) nor more than one hundred thirty thousand five hundred (130,500), according to the 2000 federal census or any subsequent federal census.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.